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- 1. United States Patent Application Publication No.: 2002/0019698, published February 14, 2002.
- 2. Chinese Unexamined Patent Application Publication No.: 1300515, published June 20, 2001.
- 3. United States Patent No.: 6,002,936, issued December 14, 1999.

One copy of each of the listed documents is submitted herewith.

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